Discussion on alleged misuse of MPLADS arising out of the recent disclosures in the form of videotapes.

SHRI SURESH PACHOURI (Madhya Pradesh) : Okay, Madam.

SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI (Tamil Nadu) : Agreed, Madam.

THE DEPUTY CHAIRMAN : Okay, the House agrees.

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT-RELATED PARLIAMENTARY STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORT, TOURISM AND CULTURE

SHRI K.RAHMAN KHAN (Karnataka) : Madam, I present the Sixty-fifth Report (in English and Hindi) of the Department-related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on Sale of Centaur Hotel, Mumbai Airport.

MOTION FOR ELECTION TO AGRICULTURAL AND PROCESSED FOOD PRODUCTS EXPORT DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY(APEDA)

THE MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE AND MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI ARUN JAITLEY) : Madam, I beg to move the following Motion:

> That in pursuance of Clause (d) of Sub-Section (4) of Section 4 of the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Developrnent Authority Act, 1985 (2 of 1986), read with Rule 3 of the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority Rules, 1986, this House do proceed to elect, in such manner as the Chairman may direct, one Member from among the Members of the House to be a member of the Agricultural and Processed Food Products Export Development Authority.

The question was put and the motion was adopted.

SPECIAL MENTIONS

Eco-Environmental Threat to Chilka Lake, Orissa

DR. M.N. DAS (Orissa) : Madam, the Chilka lake, which is the largest lake of Asia, covering 110 square kilometres of water space in southern Orissa, is famous not only for its natural beauty but also for its ecological wonders. Rich with marine life and marine wealth, it presents a